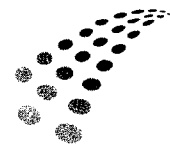


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Attn: Chemical Right-to-Know Program  
RE: HPV Consortium Number

Dear Mr. Leavitt:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of two changes to the information provided to you previously for the Cresols Chemical Category, which was sponsored by the American Chemistry Council's Cresols Panel<sup>1</sup> under the ICCA HPV Initiative.

**Change 1** - The original constituents of the Chemical Cresols Category are listed in the following table.

**Original Cresols Category Chemicals:**

Chemical Name	CAS No.
para-cresol	106-44-5
meta-cresol	108-39-4
mixed cresols	1319-77-3

During the peer-review process prior to SIAM 16, and in response to comments provided to Bayer AG by German authorities, the panel had substituted mixed cresols (CAS No. 1319-77-3) with para-/meta- mixed cresols (CAS No. 15831-10-4). The current constituents of the Cresols Chemical Category are listed in the following table.

**Revised Cresols Category Chemicals:**

Chemical Name	CAS No.
para-cresol	106-44-5
meta-cresol	108-39-4
para-/meta- mixed cresols	15831-10-4

<sup>1</sup> Cresols Panel member companies for the ICCA HPV Initiative are: ADCHEMCO Corp.; Bayer Chemicals Corporation; Bayer Chemicals AG; Concord Chemical Corp.; Dakota Gasification Company; Degussa Knottingly, Inc. (formerly Degussa AG); Honshu Chemical Industry Co. Ltd.; Merisol USA LLC; Mitsui Chemicals, Inc.; Nippon Steel Chemical Co. Ltd.; PMC Specialty Group, Inc.; Sumitomo Chemical America, Inc.; and Sumitomo Chemical Co., Ltd.



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**Change 2** – As indicated in the list of Cresols Panel member companies provided in footnote no. 1, please note the following changes to member company names:

- Degussa Knottingly, Inc. now represents Degussa AG;
- Bayer Corporation is now Bayer Chemicals Corporation; and
- Bayer Corp. AG is now Bayer Chemicals AG.

If you have any questions regarding the information provided above, please contact Laurie Miller, the Cresols Panel Manager. She can be reached by phone at 703-741-5611 or by e-mail at [laurie\\_miller@americanchemistry.com](mailto:laurie_miller@americanchemistry.com).

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